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St. James's, October 25.

THIS Day being the Anniverſary of the King's Acceſſion to the Throne, who entered into the Eighth Year of His Reign, there was a very numerous and brilliant Appearance of the Nobility, Foreign Miniſters, and other Perſons of Diſtinction, to compliment His Majeſty on the Occaſion. At Noon the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired; and in the Evening there were Bonfires, Illuminations, and other Publick Demonſtrations of Joy throughout London and Weſtminſter.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 23d Day of *October*, 1767,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His late Majeſty King George the Second, intituled, "An Act for preventing the exceſſive "Uſe of Spirituous Liquors, by laying additional Duties thereon; for ſhortening the Prohibition of making Low Wines and Spirits "from Wheat, Barley, Malt, or other Grain, "and from Meal, Flour, and Bran; for encouraging the Exportation of Britiſh-made Spirits; and for more effectually ſecuring the "Duties payable upon Spirits, and preventing "the fraudulent Relanding or Importation "thereof" —— It is enacted, amongſt other Things, That if at any Time or Times after the Twenty-firſt Day of April, 1760, during the Receſs of Parliament, the Price of Wheat ſhall exceed Forty-eight Shillings the Quarter, Wincheſter Meaſure, for Two ſucceſſive Market Days, in the Port of London, and it ſhall appear expedient to His Majeſty, His Heirs or Succeſſors, to prohibit the Making of Low Wines and Spirits from Wheat, Barley, Malt, and any other Sort of Grain, and from Meal, Flour, and Bran, or any Mixture therewith, it ſhall and may be lawful to and for His Majeſty, His Heirs and Succeſſors, from Time to Time, by His or Their Royal Proclamation or Proclamations, to be iſſued by and with the Advice of His or Their Privy Council, or by His or Their Order in Council, to be publiſhed in the London Gazette, from Time to Time to prohibit the Making, Extracting, or Diſtilling, of any Kind of Low Wines or Spirits from any Wheat, Barley, Malt, and any other Sort of Grain, and from Meal, Flour, and Bran, or any Mixture therewith, for any Time or Times during ſuch Receſs, or until Twenty Days after the Commencement of the then next Seſſion of Parliament. —— And whereas His Majeſty hath received Information, That the Price of Wheat in the Port of London, has been, for Two ſucceſſive Market Days, above Forty-eight Shillings the Quarter, Wincheſter Meaſure. —— His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby prohibit the Making, Extracting, or Diſtilling, of any Kind of Low Wines or Spirits from any Wheat, Wheat Meal, Wheat Flour, and Wheat Bran, or any Mixture therewith, from the Date hereof, until Fourteen Days after the Commencement of the next Seſſion of Parliament. —— Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and yield due Obedience to His Majeſty's Commands hereby ſignified.

Steph. Cottrell.

Dublin Caſtle, October 20.

THIS Day the Parliament having met according to the Prorogation, his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant went in State to the Houſe of Peers, and being ſeated on the Throne with the uſual Solemnity, the Gentleman Uſher of the Black Rod was ſent with a Meſſage from his Excellency to the Houſe of Commons, ſignifying his Pleaſure that they ſhould immediately attend his Excellency in the Houſe of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, his Excellency made the following Speech to both Houſes:

My Lords and Gentlemen,

IT is with great Satisfaction that, in Obedience to His Majeſty's Commands, I now meet you here in Parliament, being confident, that the End of all your Conſultations will be to

to ſupport the Honor of the Crown, and the juſt Rights and Liberties of the People.

As nothing can be more conducive to the great Ends than the Independency and Uprightneſs of the Judges of the Land, in the impartial Adminiſtration of Juſtice; I have it in Charge from His Majeſty to recommend this intereſting Object to Parliament, that ſuch Proviſion may be made for ſecuring the Judges in the Enjoyment of their Offices and Appointments, during their good Behaviour, as ſhall be thought moſt expedient.

I ſhall be happy to co-operate with you in this great Work, ſo graciouſly recommended by the King, and in whatever may tend to the effectual and expeditious Diſtribution of Juſtice throughout every Part of this flouriſhing Country, whoſe Conſtitution and beſt Security is a Government by Law.

Deeply intereſted as We are in the Domeſtic Happineſs of our moſt amiable Sovereign, you cannot but reflect with Pleaſure on the Increaſe of His Majeſty's Family by the Birth of a Princeſs Royal; and affectionately attached as We muſt be to every Branch of that illuſtrious Houſe, I am perſuaded you feel moſt ſenſibly the affecting Event of the Death of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York, whoſe many and eminent Virtues had juſtly endeared him to His Majeſty and all His Subjects.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Commons,

I have ordered the proper Officers to prepare and lay before you the neceſſary Eſtimates, and have no other Supplies to aſk but ſuch as have been uſually given; truſting, at the ſame Time, to your Wiſdom and Zeal to make further Proviſions if the neceſſary Support of Government, and the Safety of this Country, ſhall require it.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The Proteſtant Charter-Schools have, from their firſt Inſtitution, met with the conſtant Aſſiſtance and Protection of Parliament; the ſame Diſpoſition, I am perſuaded, will ſtill continue, as they are the great Sources of Induſtry, Virtue, and true Religion.

The Linen Manufacture calls likewiſe for your utmoſt Attention; and it would be a pleaſing Circumſtance to me, if during my Adminiſtration, I could ſee Foreigners entirely prevented from interfering in any Article of this important Conſumption.

You may depend upon His Majeſty's gracious Diſpoſition to conſent to all ſuch Laws as ſhall be for the Welfare and true Intereſt of this Kingdom.

On my own Part you may be aſſured, that I will, with the utmoſt Satisfaction, concur with you in every Thing that may promote the Publick Good; and upon all Occaſions contribute my beſt Endeavours for advancing the Happineſs and Proſperity of the People of Ireland.

Vienna, October 7. On Saturday Night the future Queen of Naples was ſuddenly ſeized with a ſevere Pain in her Back, and violent Fever. She was blooded on Sunday; but the Fever rather roſe than abated after the Bleeding; and Yeſterday at Noon the Diſorder ſhewed itſelf to be the Small-Pox. This has ſpread a general Alarm, though there is as yet no bad Symptom; and her Youth, and the Goodneſs of her Conſtitution, are ſtrong Circumſtances in her Favour. The Orders for the Journey were immediately countermanded; and Yeſterday Meſſengers were diſpatched to Florence, Naples, and Madrid, with the News of this unhappy Event. The Arch-Duke and the Two Arch-Dutcheſſes, who have not had the Small Pox, removed immediately from Schonbrun to the Palace in Town.

The Empreſs has conferred the Government of Tranſilvania upon General O'Donnel.

Bruſſels, October 16. On Wedneſday his Royal Highneſs and the Court came here from Marimont for the Winter Seaſon; and Yeſterday being St. Thereſia, the Name-Day of her Imperial Majeſty, at Noon there was a great Gala at Court; in the Evening a Drawing-Room and Supper; and at Night a Maſk'd Ball at the Great Theatre.

Berlin, October 17. Laſt Sunday the 11th, in the Afternoon, his Pruſſian Majeſty returned to Potzdam; and on Monday the Prince and Princeſs of Orange, with their Retinue, ſet out for the ſame Place, where they remained till Wedneſday in the Afternoon, when they proceeded to Brandenbourg; the next Day to Magdebourg; and thence to Brunſwick, where they propoſed ſtopping for three Days. From that Place they will continue their Journey directly to Loo, at which Place it is reckoned they may arrive about the 27th Inſtant.

War-Office, October 27.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Beauclerck, of the 3d Regiment of Foot-Guards, is appointed to be Deputy-Governor of Fort George near Inverneſs, in the Room of William Caulfield, deceaſed.

Captain John Small, of the 21ſt Regiment of Foot, to be Major of Brigade to the Forces in North America, vice —— Moncrieffe, who reſigns.

3d Regiment of Dragoon Guards, John Belſches, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Cornet John Shepherd; by Purchaſe.

7th Regiment of Foot, Francis Le Maiſtre, Gent. to be Adjutant, vice Humphrey Owen; by Purchaſe.

11th Regiment of Foot, Captain-Lieutenant Thomas Faulkner to be Captain, vice George Robinſon, deceaſed.

15th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Carden, of the 17th Regiment of Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Perkins Magra, who exchanges.

17th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Perkins Magra, of the 15th Regiment of Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice John Carden, who exchanges.

18th

18*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Benjamin Johnſon, from Half-Pay, to be Captain, vice Hugh Antrobus, deceaſed.

Ditto, Daniel Thomas (Clerk) to be Chaplain, vice Stanley Leather; by Purchaſe.

25*th Regiment of Foot*, Honourable George Napier to be Enſign, vice David Lord Roſehill; by Purchaſe.

53*d Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Hutchinſon Dunlap to be Adjutant, vice James Frognorton; by Purchaſe.

62*d Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant John Pigot to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John Hand, deceaſed.

Ditto, Enſign Richard Greenall Mathews to be Lieutenant, vice John Pigot

Ditto, Quarter-Maſter John Naſh to be Enſign, vice Richard Greenall Mathews.

68*th Regiment of Foot*, Enſign Arthur O'Hara to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Kirkby, deceaſed.

Ditto, Henry Bowyer, Gent. to be Enſign, vice Arthur O'Hara.

Cuſtom Houſe, London.

FOR SALE,

By Order of the Honourable Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, &c. (in Purſuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Third Year of His preſent Majeſty) on Monday the 2d, Tueſday the 3d, and Friday the 6th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the ſaid Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in ſmall Quantities for the better Accommodation of the ſeveral Dealers, as well as Private Perſons, who chuſe to become Purchaſers in them.

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For Home Conſumption,

Muſlins, Muſlin Handkerchiefs and Neckcloths, Dimities, Linnen, Nankeen Cloth, Gauzes, Open Tapes, Lacquered Ware, Mother of Pearl Fiſh and Counters, Fans, India Paper Prints, Bugle, Plain and Chaſed Silver Watches, Chains for Watches, Fiddle Strings, Hair Pencils for Painters, Walking-Canes, Sword Hilts, Paper Snuff-Boxes, Chryſtal or Paſte Stones, Swords, Foils, [Gold and Silver Wearing Apparel and Lace to be burnt] China Ware, Wines, Raiſins, Sugar and other Grocery, Sope, Wax Candles, Cocoa Husks, Cut Corks, Scammony, Jallop, Gun-Flints, Cannon Balls, Cordage, Sails, Matts, Boats, and Materials, a Lighter, Live Oak, Deals, and Sundry other Goods, as mentioned in the Catalogue.

The Lighter, Boats, Deals, Live Oak, and Cannon Balls to be ſeen at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhith; and the other Goods to be ſeen and taſted at the King's Warehouſe at the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, on Thurſday the 29th, Friday the 30th, and Saturday the 31ſt of October inſtant, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

Admiralty-Office, October 6, 1767.

Notice is hereby given, that a Seſſion of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Juriſdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Wedneſday the 4th Day of November next, at Juſtice Hall in the Old Baily, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 26, 1767.

The Commiſſioners of this Hoſpital do hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 3d Day of April, 1768, or as ſoon after as may be, the Colliery *and* Limeſtone Quarries *and* Sale Kilns, *ſituate at* Scremerſton *in the County of* Durham, *now in the Poſſeſſion of John Romer, Eſq; will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years or under, to commence upon the* 12*th Day of May* 1768. *Such Perſons as may be willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to ſend their Propoſals in Writing, on or before the* 1*ſt Day of April*, 1768, *to* Mr. Ibbetſon, *at the Admiralty-Office, London; or, on or before the* 30*th Day of March*, 1768, *to Meſſ.* Walton and Smeaton, *at Farnacres near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.*

N. B. The ſaid Commiſſioners reſerve the Limekiln near the Sea, and that built by the late Mr. Ancrum; as alſo Liberty for their Tenants of Scremerſton to get ſuch Limeſtones as ſhall be neceſſary for their reſpective Farms, to be uſed either in the Improvement thereof, or in making or repairing any Kind of Buildings or Erections whatſoever.

Jn° Ibbetſon.

Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office.

The Directors give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Members of this Society will be held at their Office in Angel Court on Snow Hill, on Thurſday the 12*th Day of November next, at Three in the Afternoon.*

N. B. The Election of Directors for the Year enſuing, by Ballot, will be on the three preceding Days, from Nine in the Forenoon to Twelve, and from Three to Six in the Afternoon.

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